

## AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

### **In the Specification:**

Please replace the last paragraph on page 22, which begins on line 28, with the following replacement paragraph:

A determination is made at decision block 730 whether the identifier corresponds to an identifier of [[a received content portion]] any of the received content portions. This may involve a bit wise comparison of identifiers in the manifest and in the received content. If no is the determination 750 then the method 520A advances to block 760. If yes is the determination 740 then the method advances to block 770.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on line 3 of page 23 with the following replacement paragraph:

The method 520A advances from decision 750 to block 760 where the content portion identified by the identifier in the manifest is recorded as missing. According to one embodiment, this recording is done in a data structure, such as a log, record, file, or other data structure, that may be transmitted and interpreted by the content transmission system. Accordingly, the format of the data structure may comply with and be compatible to the transmission system

Please replace the abstract with the following amended abstract:

**[00102]** A digital content transmission and reception system that uses feedback and re-transmission of missing content is described. A content transmission system broadcasts a complete set of digital content to a plurality of content reception systems via a communication link. A content reception system receives a corresponding incomplete set of digital content, determines particular content portions that are missing, and provided feedback indicating the

missing content portions to the content distribution system. The content distribution system [[the]] then re-transmits content based on the feedback.